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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:
 (1) This Transmittal Letter (1 page);
 (2) Petition for Extension of Time-1 month (1 page); and
 (3) Response to Office Action (10 pages).

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